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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 4, 2003, Applicants elect **Group I, Claims 1-43** for prosecution on the merits, with traverse.

An extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested.

A Petition for an Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently. Should any additional fees be required to ensure consideration of this response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 16-0085, Reference No. 2846/1032.

Respectfully submitted,

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